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City of Lansing Transitions to Every Other Week Yard Waste Collection Beginning Monday June 28, 2021, Due to Staff Shortages

(LANSING) – The City of Lansing's Capital Area Recycling & Trash (CART) announces that curbside residential yard waste collection will transition to every other week starting on **Monday, June 28, 2021.** Yard waste will be collected on the residents' normal recycling collection day.

Staffing shortages have resulted in delays in picking up yard waste on scheduled collection days. This is an issue for not only the Tri-County Area, but the state of Michigan. Moving to every other week collection will reduce collection delays. Every other week collection will also limit fuel and overtime costs and minimize the number of staff being pulled from other crews to assist with yard waste collection.

The City of Lansing will continue to collect all yard waste that is placed at the curbside as long as it meets the guidelines listed at www.lansingmi.gov/yardwaste.

Download the Recycle Coach app on a smart device or view the CART Schedule Calendar at www.lansingmi.gov/CARTschedule to locate your yard waste collection schedule for the rest of the season.

Please contact CART at OMAdmin@lansingmi.gov or 517-483-4400 for questions.

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